Bandits in military uniform kill three, burn 11 houses in Taraba

Terna Chikpa | Jalingo

BANDITS on Saturday evening stormed Wuro Bokki village in Gasso Local Government Area of Taraba State, where they killed three persons,

Over 1,000 villagers were displaced.

It was alleged that the bandits wore military uniforms during the attack and used sophisticated weapons.

Chairman of the local government area, Honourable Musa Abdulahi, who confirmed the development to newsmen during a telephone interview on Sunday, disclosed that the bandits, who stormed the village at about 4:00 p.m., all wore military uniforms.

The council boss said the gunmen also burnt 11 houses during the attack.

He alleged that the bandits have a camp in a forest between Sendede and Gasso wards of the local government area.

Meanwhile, the state Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO), Usman Abdulahi, did not answer calls made to his mobile phone to confirm the development.